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IF YOU'RE READING THIS ON A SITE OTHER THAN BATOTO: THERE'S A MISTAKE ON THE CREDITS PAGE OF LAST CHAPTER!

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THE IDEA THAT THE FLAP OF A BUTTERFLY'S WINGS CAN CAUSE A BIG INFLUENCE ON EVENTS IN A DIFFERENT LOCATION, SOMETIME IN THE FUTURE.

THE BUTTERFLY EFFECT.

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ATSUMOTO AKASHI DRUGS

AND THAT CAUSES THE PHARMACY TO SELL OUT OF MASKS.

STURDY VIRUS PROTECTION MASKS

SORRY, WE'RE ALL SOLD OUT.

BUT BECAUSE OF THAT COUGH, THE PERSON NEXT TO HIM DECIDES TO GO BUY A MASK SO THEY WON'T CATCH A COLD...

30 PACK

COUGH

THAT IN ITSELF IS A SMALL ACT.

FOR EXAMPLE, A SINGLE PERSON COUGHS JUST ONCE IN THE MIDDLE OF TOWN.

THAT'S WHY EVEN THOUGH I ONLY CHANGED THE MOMENT MY PARENTS MET 20 YEARS AGO EVER SO SLIGHTLY...

THAT SLIGHT CHANGE COULD END UP SNOW-BALLING UNTIL...

RESULT-ING IN...

THANKS TO THAT, THE POPULAR ACTOR WHO CAME TO BUY A MASK TO DISGUISE HIMSELF WASN'T ABLE TO BUY ANY...

THAT IS THE BUTTERFLY EFFECT.

SOME-THING THAT STARTED OFF AS JUST A SMALL EVENT ENDED UP HAVING A BIG EFFECT ON THE FUTURE.

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THE POPULAR ACTOR BEING SPOTTED IN TOWN, CREATING A BIG ENOUGH PANIC TO DISRUPT TRAFFIC.

# PSI 126: FIRST HAND PSIENCE FICTION (3)

WHAT COULD HAVE POSSIBLY HAPPENED ...

TO MAKE THE WORLD LOOK SO POST-APOC-ALYPTIC IN JUST 20 YEARS?

2012

WHAT HAPPENED HERE...?

I MEAN, THE TRAVELING BACK IN TIME PART WORKS...

BUT I CAN ONLY TRAVEL BACK EXACTLY 20 YEARS FROM THE CURRENT MOMENT.

I TRIED GOING BACK INTO THE PAST AGAIN...

BUT NO MATTER HOW MANY TIMES I TRY, IT WON'T WORK!

DAMN...! IT'S NO USE.

I WONDER IF MY MOM AND DAD ARE STILL ALIVE...

HUH!?

FIRST, I NEED TO FIND SOME PEOPLE.

FUTURE

PAST

IN OTHER WORDS, I CAN NO LONGER GO BACK TO THE SAME TIME I FIRST ARRIVED IN THE PAST!

IN THE MEANTIME, I NEED TO FIGURE OUT EXACTLY WHAT HAPPENED...

STILL, THERE HAS TO BE A WAY TO GO BACK AND FIX THE PAST SOMEHOW.

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IS THAT VOICE TORITSUKA?

NO WAY!?

IS THAT YOU...!!

BAM

THE TORITSUKA I KNOW IS NOTHING LIKE THIS.

REMEMBER ME!? YOU KNOW! IT'S ME, TORITSUKA!

WELL, I GUESS I HAVE CHANGED UP MY IMAGE A LITTLE BIT!

WOAH! WHAT A BLAST FROM THE PAST!!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING IN A PLACE LIKE THIS!!

I DON'T KNOW ANY POST-APOC-ALYPTIC MOHAWK LOOKING GUYS LIKE THIS.

TA-DAH

RIGHT NOW THIS HAIRSTYLE IS SUPER POPULAR WITH THE LADIES!

WELL, WHATEVER. I'LL JUST ASK HIM.

SERIOUSLY, WHAT HAPPENED HERE...?

ISN'T THAT A DIFFERENT STYLE OF MOHAWK?

IT'S A NEW ERA, AFTER ALL.

I'VE GOT NO CHOICE BUT TO RIDE THIS BIG WAVE.

TN: TORITSUKA'S BIG WAVE LINE IS QUOTING A JAPANESE INTERVIEW WITH A MOHAWKED MAN NAMED BUTCH-SAN, WHO WAS LINED UP FOR THE RELEASE OF THE IPHONE 3G.

WELL, NOT EXACTLY, BUT EXPLAINING WOULD BE A PAIN SO LET'S GO WITH THIS.

WHAAAT? AGAIN?

HUH!? YOU LOST YOUR MEMORY?

I STILL REMEMBER SOME THINGS.

HUH? BUT YOU STILL REMEMBER WHO I AM?

I DEFINITELY DID NO SUCH THING.

STOP WITH THE STUPID JOKES AND EXPLAIN THE SITUATION.

OR THE FACT THAT YOU SAID "I'M TORITSUKA'S DOG"!?

OH! THEN DOES THAT MEAN YOU DON'T REMEMBER YOUR PROMISE TO DO WHATEVER I SAY!?

GROSS...

STOP TAKING IT THE WRONG WAY.

EVEN THOUGH YOU CAN'T REMEMBER ANYTHING ELSE, YOU STILL REMEMBER ME...

WOAH... THAT'S KIND OF GROSS...

THERE WAS A WORLD WAR III!?

THERE WAS. IT WAS EXACTLY 2 YEARS AGO~

HUHH!? YOU DON'T REMEMBER THAT EITHER!?

FOR NOW I GUESS I'LL EXPLAIN STARTING AFTER WORLD WAR III.

EXPLAIN FROM BEFORE THAT PLEASE.

HMM, EVEN IF YOU ASK ME TO EXPLAIN, I'M NOT SURE WHERE TO START...

!? WHAT IS THIS HIGH-TECH DEVICE...?

HUH? YOU DON'T REMEMBER THIS EITHER?

IT'S A K-WATCH.

WOOM

WOAH!?

HERE.

HOLD ON A SECOND.

BEEP BEEP

?

FIRST LET'S CLOSE THOSE PORN WINDOWS, OKAY?

BEEP BEEP

HERE'S A NEWS ARTICLE ABOUT WORLD WAR III.

MORE IMPORTANTLY, LOOK.

HIGH-TECH GADGETS REALLY FEEL OUT OF PLACE WITH THAT OUTFIT.

WELL, TECHNOLOGY HAS ADVANCED A LOT IN THESE PAST 2-3 YEARS~

THIS SUPPOSED TO BE THE PRESENT, NOT THE FUTURE... BUT THE PRESENT I'M FROM DIDN'T HAVE ANYTHING LIKE THIS...

THAT MAN WAS...

I SEE... THEN WORST CASE I JUST HAVE TO RETURN TO THE PAST AND ERASE THAT PERSON...

AN INVENTOR?

IT'S SAID THAT THE WWIII WAS STARTED ALL BECAUSE OF A SINGLE INVENTOR.

IT WAS FAMILY.

Important Pers

THE GENIUS INVENTOR.

DR. KUUSUKE.

POP

THIS PLANET IS FILLED WITH IDIOTS.

I WANT TO BECOME THE GOD OF A NEW WORLD.

EVEN HE WOULDN'T GO SO FAR AS TO START A WAR...

NEVER MIND. HE TOTALLY WOULD.

DON'T YOU THINK THE POPULATION HAS IN-CREASED TOO MUCH, KUSUO...?

THIS WATCH WAS INVENTED BY DR. KUUSUKE TOO.

THIS HAS TO BE SOME SORT OF MISTAKE...

...HOW COULD THIS HAPPEN... FOR IT TO BE MY BROTHER...

WHERE ARE YOU GOING?

FOR NOW, I GUESS I SHOULD GO HAVE A CHAT WITH MY BROTHER... ONE GOOD PUNCH SHOULD BE ENOUGH TO STOP HIM...

TURN

BUT I STILL DON'T UNDER-STAND...

WHY DIDN'T THE ME FROM THIS TIME STOP HIM?

JUST GREAT... MY PARENTS' BUTTERFLY EFFECT WENT COMPLETELY OFF THE RAILS.

WELL, YEAH HE'S STILL ALIVE, BUT...

? WHY'S THAT? HE'S STILL ALIVE, ISN'T HE?

MAN~ THIS IS A LITTLE HARD TO SAY, BUT...

SERIOUSLY...? YOU EVEN FORGOT ABOUT THIS...?

HUHH!? AHA-HAHA!

NO WAY, THAT'D BE IMPOSSIBLE!!

I'M GOING TO GO TALK TO THAT INVENTOR. HE'S ACTUALLY MY OLDER BROTHER...

IT HAPPENED 3 YEARS AGO, I THINK~

...HUH? I'M... DEAD...?

THE FIRST TIME I MET YOU, YOU WERE ALREADY A GHOST.

WHOOSH

YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'S DEAD.

I SEE...

THAT'S WHY I DON'T EVEN KNOW YOUR NAME OR HOW YOU DIED.

W H O O O H

THE TRUTH IS, THIS IS THE SECOND TIME YOU'VE LOST YOUR MEMORY.

SINCE PEOPLE LOSE ALL THEIR MEMORIES WHEN THEY DIE.

POKE POKE

...CAN'T EVEN...? HUH...

PAT

SO ANYWAY, NORMAL PEOPLE CAN'T SEE YOU.

SO THAT'S WHAT IT WAS...

EVEN A SPIRIT MEDIUM LIKE ME CAN'T TOUCH YOU...

THIS WORLD IS...

SLAP SLAP SLAP

...HUH?

WOAHH! I CAN TOUCH YOU!!

Y... YOU CAME BACK TO LIFE!?

A WORLD WITHOUT ME...!

INTENSE

THAT'S WHY I COULDN'T STOP MY BROTHER FROM STARTING WWIII...

IN THIS WORLD, I DIED THREE YEARS AGO...!

I FINALLY UNDER-STAND...

WHEEZE...

I... I NEVER KNEW YOU HAD SUCH A POWERFUL PUNCH... IT REALLY PACKS A WALLOP...

TORI-TSUKA...

AFTER EVERYTHING WE'VE BEEN THROUGH TOGETHER...

THIS IS THE FIRST GOOD THING THAT'S HAPPENED IN THIS SHITTY WORLD...!

GRAB

Y...YOU REALLY CAME BACK TO LIFE, HUH...!

TURN

WELL, WHATEVER. THANKS TO YOU I WAS ABLE TO PRETTY MUCH UNDERSTAND THE SITUATION.

JUST LEAVE THE REST TO ME.

?

BUT I'M STILL SO HAPPY...!

yeah, yeah.

I CAN'T ASK YOU TO TELL ME THE COLORS OF GIRLS' UNDERWEAR ANYMORE...

HEY. WHAT WERE YOU MAKING ME DO.

UHH...

.....

INTENSE

!?

100M

SEE YOU LATER, TORITSUKA.

INTENSE

INTENSE

...YOU... WHAT ARE YOU...?

INTENSE

THAT'S SOME PRETTY HEAVY SECURITY.

STEP

BANG

SERIOUSLY. ...I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOUR REASON WAS, BUT STARTING A WAR...?

HOW COULD YOU.

STEP

...IS...

IS THAT.... KUSUO...?

...GH...

AS YOUR FAMILY, I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT TO SET YOU STRAIGHT.

WH... WHAT'S GOING ON?

KUSUO! OH, MY LITTLE BROTHER!!

BAM

IT'S SO GOOD TO SEE YOU AGAIN!!

AHYUU~

SOB

!?

SOB

SOB

IT'S NO USE! I JUST CAN'T FIGURE IT OUT!

...

...HMM...

AH! WAIT! LET ME GUESS!

BEFORE THAT, I NEED YOU TO ANSWER MY QUES-TIONS...

BUT HOW DID YOU COME BACK TO LIFE!?

NOW IT'S MY TURN TO ASK.

I KNEW IT! I THOUGHT IT LOOKED LIKE YOU'D GROWN SINCE THE LAST TIME I SAW YOU!

IT'S NOT LIKE I WAS TRYING TO START ONE.

WHY WOULD YOU DO SOMETHING AS TERRIBLE AS STARTING A WAR?

AND THEN YOU LEARNED THAT YOU HAD DIED 3 YEARS AGO, SO YOU CAME TO SEE ME.

BUT WHEN YOU RETURNED TO THE PRESENT, BECAUSE OF THE BUTTERFLY EFFECT THE WORLD HAD BECOME THE WAY IT IS NOW...

AND DUE TO SOME CIRCUMSTANCES YOU SLIPPED INTO THE PAST AND ACCIDENTALLY CHANGED HISTORY EVER SO SLIGHTLY.

THE ONLY POSSIBILITY I CAN THINK OF IS THAT YOU'RE FROM A DIFFERENT TIMELINE...

ARE YOU SOME SORT OF PROPHET?

BUT THAT COULDN'T BE IT~...

HA HA

I MEAN, I DON'T CARE EVEN THE LEAST BIT ABOUT THE EARTH OR THE PEOPLE ON IT!

IF I WAS GOING TO MAKE THINGS FIGHT IT WOULD BE MORE INTERESTING TO USE BEETLES!

YOU SHOULD CARE AT LEAST LITTLE.

THE THING YOU INVENTED?

EVERYONE JUST STARTED FIGHTING ON THEIR OWN OVER THE THING I INVENTED.

I WOULD NEVER DO SOMETHING LIKE INCITE A WAR!

T A - D A H

YOU CAN'T JUST SAY THE THING THAT STARTED WWIII DOESN'T MATTER!

WHO CARES! NOW THAT YOU'RE BACK, IT DOESN'T MATTER!!

MORE IMPORTANTLY, LET'S HAVE A BEACH ROMANESQUE COMPETITION!

BEACH ROMANESQUE

SUPER EXCITING

ALSO I HAVE NO IDEA WHAT THAT GAME IS.

HUH?

OH, WELL...

SO WHAT IS IT? THE THING YOU INVENTED.

IT'S JUST A TIME MACHINE.

IT'S REALLY NOTHING SPECIAL.

SEE? OVER THERE...

POINT

EVERYTHING WAS BORING WITHOUT YOU AROUND, KUSUO~ SO I THOUGHT I WOULD TRY TO BRING YOU BACK TO LIFE~

BUT NOW YOU'RE BACK SO I DON'T NEED IT ANY MORE!

I'LL JUST THROW IT OUT WITH THE NON-BURNABLE GARBAGE♪

....HUH?

DOES IT WORK...?

YEAH, NO IT'S USELESS. IT CAN ONLY GO BACK ONE DAY...

OH! NON-BURNABLE TRASH DAY IS TOMORROW!

BUT BACK THEN, MAMA WAS ONLY 17...

.....?

...HEY, KUSUO...

...WELL, THAT WAS MAMA.

SHE JUST HAPPENED TO BE IN TOWN FOR HER SCHOOL TRIP, SO IT REALLY WAS DESTINY.

BO

OM

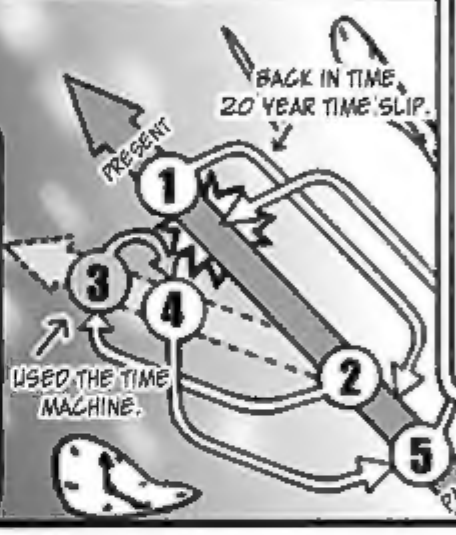
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT. JUST HURRY UP AND CONTINUE THE STORY.

WHAT'S WRONG? IT'S UNUSUAL FOR YOU TO LISTEN TO THE STORY OF HOW WE MET SO SERIOUSLY...

AFTER THAT...

BUT I'M STILL NOT SURE IF I RETURNED TO THE CORRECT PRESENT OR NOT...

THEN, FROM THE PAST WHERE NOTHING HAD HAPPENED YET, HE RETURNED TO THE PRESENT!




SAIKI USED THE TIME MACHINE HIS BROTHER MADE TO GO BACK IN TIME ONE DAY, AND THEN JUMPED 20 YEARS INTO THE PAST FROM THERE.

? WHAT'S WRONG?

I DON'T WANT TO ADMIT IT, BUT THIS ONE'S MY LOSS...

YOU LOOK LIKE YOU JUST CAME BACK FROM A TIME SLIP.

USUALLY YOU JUST SAY STUFF LIKE "I'M TIRED OF HEARING THIS EVERY SINGLE YEAR" OR "WHY DON'T YOU JUST TELL IT TO THE WALL"...

HURRY UP WITH THE REMAINING 13 CHAPTERS.

THAT'S WHY I HAVE TO PROPERLY CONFIRM.

NOW HURRY UP AND CONTINUE THE STORY.

GOOD GRIEF...

WOW! KU-KUN!!

CONGRATULATIONS YOU TWO!

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